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OUTLINES.

Newspaper reports that the United States will send a battleship squadron to the Pacific, owing to friction with Japan over the San Francisco incident is denied by President Roosevelt; Mr. Aoki, the Japanese Ambassador at Washington, says Japan would not regard it as a menace if this government were to send warships to either the Pacific or its colonial possessions; the new battleship Nebraska went into commission on the Pacific yesterday.——The United States marshals at New York, Cleveland and elsewhere are mystefied by the movement of John D. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, upon whom they are anxious to serve a subpoena to appear before the Federal Court at Chicago; it is believed at Cleveland that Mr. Rockefeller has slipped home by the back way and a watch has been set to catch him if possible. ——Although they are being tried for the murder of Governor Steunenberg, C. H. Moyer and Wm. D. Haywood were re-elected president and secretary-treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners.——West irginia's column of coal was dedicated yesterday at the Jamestown Exposition, the features being an address by Secretary Cortelyou as the principal speaker, and a great military parade; the column is 123 1-2 feet high and contains 835,200 pounds of all grades of coal mined in the State. ——The Bureau of Statistics at Washington reports the average condition of cotton June 25 as 72.0, as compared with 70.5 in May, 83.3 on June 25, 1907, and a ten-year average of 83.2; the condition in North Carolina is the same as in June, 1906, and only 5 points behind the ten-year average. —— Two miles from Sanburg, Pa., yesterday a freight and a passenger train collided, killing three men fatally injuring one, and slightly injuring 12 passengers. ——In the injunction proceedings before Judge Pritchard at Asheville yesterday concerning Virgina 2-cent passenger rate law, the Attorney General of Virginia argued that the irginia Corporation Commission is a court itself and cannot be enjoined from enforcing the rate. ——New York markets: Money on call, strong 5 to 10 per cent., ruling rate, 1-2; closing bid, 9 1-2; offered at 10; spot cotton, 25 points higher; closing steady at 13.50; flour, firm but quiet; wheat, firm; No. 2 red, 1.01 elevator; corn, firm; No. 2, 63 elevator; turpentine, easy, 60 to 60 1-2; rosin, steady; strained, common to good, 4.50 to 4.60.

The man who kicked against the cold June is now growling at the hot July.

The milliners are now offering the "arship hat" for sale. This suggests that it takes money to make the "airship hat" sail.

"Good, truthful fish stories" are invited by an American magazine. The magazine editor ought to know that all fish stories are decidedly fishy.

The "tub waist" is now one of the styles for girls, so writes Ella Rittenhouse. However, there are few girls who have waists like a tub.

Michigan boasts of a man with legs five feet long. Unless he has money, however, his wife will see no fun pulling his leg.

The candidate used to go around shaking hands in order to win votes. In 1908 the candidate has to shake some of his friends in order to win votes.

A girl at Oil City, Pa., died on Sunday from eating ice cream, but all other girls will go right on eating it just to show that death has no terrors for them.

The Weather Bureau at Washington announces that the past month was the coldest June in 35 years. Young men who took June brides will have two things to remember all their lives.

Says Newbern's new paper, The Sun: "It would also be a good thing for some knockers to occasionally take a good dose of calomel." A better prescription for knockers would be frequent doses of knock-out drops.

It is stated that a monkey in Chicago actually committed suicide because he got the cold shoulder from a girl that he loved. The same girl will no doubt go to some seaside resort and make a monkey of some young fellow.

In order that we may keep track of Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, we may as well state that he will start the latter part of this month on another dash for the North Pole. Here's hoping that he'll butt into it on this trip and safely return to give us a spiel about it.

If the Japanese keep on active sensitive and getting bumptious, Uncle Sam's delegates to The Hague Peace Conference will have to pretend to get mad at some of the peace measures and leave the Conference, so it will have no binding on Uncle Sam when his patience is taxed beyond the limit.

AUDIT AND FINANCE

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Number of Matters of Interest Before Board at Meeting Last Night.

SEVERAL ITEMS DEFERRED

No Response to Street Commission's Request for Employes—Several Appropriations Granted—Street Repair Work to Proceed.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Board of Audit and Finance was held last night. Mr. S. P. McNair was called to the chair in the absence of both Chairman McQueen and Mr. C. W. Yates, the vice chairman. Other members present were Messrs. Wilder and Tiencken. The business of the session was taken up and transacted with much dispatch, adjournment having been reached shortly before 9 o'clock. After the reading of the minutes of previous meetings by the clerk, Captain T. D. Meares, the monthly report of the city clerk and treasurer was presented and after some discussion of the revenues, was filed.

A communication was read from the clerk officially transmitting from the Aldermen matters passed upon Monday night requiring concurrence by the finance board. One of these items was an appropriation of $500 for the maintenance of a carrion cart made at a special meeting of the Aldermen. Mr. Tiencken thought this ws included in the garbage contract but was informed such was not the case. The appropriation was then approved.

The appropriation of $2,747.31 for 5,660 feet of drainage pipe to be used in the Sanitary Department out of the regular appropriation of $3,000 allowed for this purpose in the budget, was concurred in.

The appropriation of $5,000 for "material to be used in the repair work of the streets" under the direction of the Streets and Wharves Committee to which the matter was referred under a waiver by the Street Commission, was concurred in. The understanding is that the men in the regular streets and wharves department will do the work and the $5,000 will be spent exclusively for material.

The usual loan of $40,000 to meet current expenses and coupon account until tax gathering time was approved as passed by the Aldermen Monday night.

The appropriation of $800 for five additional arc lights in the city proper and seven across the river was concurred in, it being explained that there would be no cost of installation and that the 12 lights would not increase the appropriation of last year on account of the reduction in the rate.

The matter of appropriating $110 per year for maintaining pro rata with the county a playground for children on the grounds of the Court House which have recently been graded and improved, was deferred for a full meeting of the Board.

The action of the Aldermen reinstating Superintendent of Streets Pickett in view of the repair work now to be done in this department and increasing his salary to $1,000 per year, was likewise deferred for a full meeting of the Board. The Aldermen also ordered that Mr. Jeff Merritt be retained as foreman at a salary of $2 per day. It was stated that the foreman had not been cut off in the first instance but at any rate the whole matter will be considered at the subsequent meeting. It was stated in this conection that Chairman McQueen would probably return to the city Monday.

The arrangement entered into by the Aldermen for the feed of city prisoners at 15 cents per meal was concurred in.

The contracts for repairs and removals at the engine houses were not presented but as these are to come out of the regular appropriations, no action was thought necessary until contracts and bills are submitted.

The bids for brick, lime, cement and other materials were not acted upon but were deferred to a subsequent meeting, it being understood that the city will continue to use such of the supplies offered as are wanted.

Award of the contract for chemical and hose wagon with scaling ladders and belts was concurred in subject to contract as usually furnished.

The request of the Street Commission to be provided with a competent clerk and engineer for the preliminary work, pending the sale of street bonds, was deferred until the full meeting of the Board upon the return of the chairman.

After auditing the usual bills for current expenses the Board adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

Capt. J. R. Stephens Here.

Capt. J. R. Stephens, of Raleigh, one of the most popular Seaboard Air Line conductors, formerly on the run between Wilmington and Hamlet, is in the city for a few days business and pleasure visit. Capt. Stephens is well known in Wilmington and was busy yesterday and last night in extending the "glad hand" to old acquaintances whom he met.

Tonight Midweek Dance.

At Lumina. Three-car trains every half-hour.

WOMAN WITHOUT BOND

Mary McDaniel Held Yesterday by Justice Furlong On Charge of Arson—Many Witnesses Testified. Defendant is Mum.

Mary McDaniel, the colored woman arrested Monday night at the instance of Deputy State Fire Insurance Commissioner W. A. Scott, charged with applying the torch which caused the burning of 13 dwellings and a colored church in the northern part of the city on a Sunday morning early in May, was given a preliminary trial before Justice Furlong at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The warrant originally charged her with burning the church, but the evidence developed at the trial was that the fire had first been applied to the dwelling house of Mary Jacobs, in which there were persons sleeping, therefore the offence is a capital one and upon the finding of probable cause by the magistrate, she was held without bond for the term of the Superior Court for this county the last of the present month.

The woman was not represented by counsel at the hearing, but the State Insurance Commissioner was represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq. The defendant did not go on the stand and has remained mum, both before and after her arrest. There were a large number of witnesses for the State, however, these including Rev. J. W. Murph, pastor of the church which was burned; Mary Jacobs and her daughter, with whom the woman had trouble before the fire on account of chickens in adjoining yards, several residents in the vicinity who lost their homes in the conflagration and several colored men and women who heard her make incriminating statements after the fire. She lived in an adjoining house to the Jacobs woman, and was herself burned out, but several witnesses were introduced to show that she had saved most of her effects, though she had said that she had lost everything. Several witnesses also testified that she had been seen on the streets unusually late on the night of the fire, while still others who first saw the blaze on the outside of the Jacobs house in the rear testified that the fire burned fiercely as if it was fed by oil or other combustible substance.

Deputy Commissioner Scott gave a comprehensive statement of his investigation of the fire and submitted a number of affidavits from witnesses who testified to substantially the same thing at the preliminary trial. It was shown that the woman had gone to Brunswick county soon after the fire, and upon her return had moved to another part of the city and had taken the trouble to express sorrow for the loss of the other persons except the Jacobs woman with whom she had trouble. Her husband seems to have work out of the city and was not at home the night of the fire.

ALDERMAN ELLIS QUALIFIED.

New Member of Board Took Oath of Office at City Hall.

Mr. S. J. Ellis, who was on Monday night elected one of the Aldermen from the Third Ward of the city, succeeding acting-Alderman W. H. Yopp and Alderman-elect I. M. Bear, who did not qualify on account of his enforced absence from the city for his health, yesterday morning went to the City Hall and duly qualified before City Clerk and Treasurer John J. Fowler, entering immediately upon his duties. Mr. Ellis is a good citizen, public-spirited and enterprising. On the board he will succeed to the chairmanship of the Sanitary Committee, and has other important committee assignments. It is not known, however, whether he will accept the chairmanship of the Sanitary Committee or not. He is a salaried man in the Coast Line general offices and may not have the time to devote to this important matter that he would like and may ask to to be relieved of this chairmanship, according to street rumor yesterday. If this is done, it is known that the Mayor will recognize his ability and assign him to other important departments in connection with the city government, more compatible with his private interests.

Littleton Female College.

Elsewhere in today's paper is published the announcement of the well-known Littleton Female College, of which Rev. J. M. Rhodes, is the principal. The institution has had a remarkable history and is one of the most successful schools in the South. Rev. Mr. Rhodes was formerly pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, this city, and is highly esteemed in Wilmington and throughout North Carolina.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Masonic—Funeral Notice.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—Ready Cash.
Wilmington Homestead & Loan—New Serier.
Littleton Female College—Announcement.

Business Locals.

Lost—Bar Pin.
Lost—Handbag and Money.
The Orton—Meal Tickets.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
Burgaw Graded Schools—Sealed Bids Wanted.
Eureka Pressing Club—Cleaning, Dyeing, Pressing.

Go to the concert and tableaux tonight at Seashore Hotel at 9 o'clock. Given by Ministering Circle of King's Daughters for charitable purposes. Admission 50 cents.

RATE LEGISLATION

New Act of General Assembly Now In Effect on Many State Lines.

TALK OF AN EXTRA SESSION

Little Credence Given to Report from Asheville—State Democratic Executive Committee to Meet. New Robeson Enterprise.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 2.—Statement was made this morning by the chief clerk to the Corporation Commission that the 2 1-4 cent passenger and reduced freight rates that have precipitated such tangled litigation in North Carolina and under the act of the Legislature were to be effective July 1st, are now actually in effect on the Seaboard Air Line, the Aberdeen & Asheboro, the Norfolk & Western, the Atlantic & North Carolina division of the Norfolk & Southern and on the Norfolk & Southern from the State line to Edenton. The application of the new rates to any and all of the other roads that come under the statute is held up by the restraining orders and other legal proceedings in the United States Circuit Court at Asheville before Judge Pritchard.

Standing Master Montgomery of the Eastern District, who under the order of Judge Pritchard is to find the facts in the Southern and Atlantic Cost Line cases against the enforcement of the rates, said today that he had not yet received his order. He is expecting it at any time and said that he would get right into the work as there will be no time to lose if he is to have his reports ready in October and January under the terms of the order. He said that it would be his purpose to go from place to place whereever the witnesses and records were available for the hearings instead of having the witnesses and records brought to Raleigh.

A variety of opinion is expressed here regarding a special that was published purporting to come from Asheville to the effect that Governor Glenn was considering the question of calling an extra session of the Legislature to pass a 2 1-2 cent passenger rate to take the place of the 2 1-4 cent rate now such a bone of contention. No one seems to credit the probability of such a call being issued. The Governor is now on his farm in Rockingham county. None of the State officers here give the matter any serious consideration. State Auditor Dixon did say that he is sure that a 2 1-2 cent rate would have been accepted by the railroads and the State would have been relieved of all expensive litigation that is now on. He estimates that these suits will ultimately cost the State fully as much as the current government expense. However he does not think there is any probability of the Legislature being called together with a view to passing the 2 1-2 cent rate.

One prominent official said when asked what he thought of the likelihood of an extra session that he could "Endure famine, pestilence, short-tailed lizzards and scorpions" but he prayed especially to be delivered from a reassembling of the 1907 Legislature.

Next Monday is the date for the State Democratic Executive Committee to meet here pursuant to the call of State Chairman F. M. Simmons to receive his resignation as chairman effective at once. The impression prevails here that the committee will formally accept the resignation in view of the insistence of Senator Simmons and leave the eletcion of a successor to the next State convention directing the secretary, Alex J. Fields, to perform chairmanship duties that may arise in the meantime.

The St. Paul's Cotton Mill Co., of St. Paul's, Robeson county, is chartered with $100,000 capital subscription and $150,000 authorized. Lock Shaw, J. F. Gilmore, W. D. McNeill and others are the incorporators. Another charter is to the LaFayette Auditorium Co., of Fayetteville, capital $25,000 by Jno Underwood, J. G. Hillingworth and others. Also the Tobacco Drying and Storage Co., of Wilson, Capital $50,000 by W. T. Clark and others.

A commission is issued by Adjutant General T. R. Robertson of the North Carolina National Guard to A. R. Williams as second lieutenant, Company F, Sceond Infantry, Fayetteville.

Lost Money on Suburban Car.

Mrs. A. P. Southerland, wife of Mr. Southerland, who is proprietor of the store at Macomber's Station, on Wrightsville Sound, had the misfortune to lose a handbag containing $60 in money and several other articles on the suburban car which left the city at 8 o'clock last night. Mrs. Southerland remembers having the handbag on the car and paid the conductor her fare out of the same, depositing several car tickets in the receptacle at the same time. Upon getting off the car at the station at her home, she discovered that the bag was gone and Mr. Southerland, who immediately went in search of the lost property, has thus far been unable to find it. He will pay a liberal reward for the return of the bag and the money.

INVESTMENT TRUST CO

Certificate of Incorporation For New Wilmington Enterprise Allied With Hugh MacRae Interests Here—Stockholders Named.

A certificate of incorporation was received yesterday by the Clerk of the Sueprior Court for the Investment Trust Company, of Wilmington, which is identified with the large interests of Mr. Hugh MacRae here and elsewhere. The incorporators are Mr. Hugh MacRae, who holds 92 of the 100 shares in the corporation; Messrs. H. M. Chase, A. B. Skelding, C. Van-Leuven and Raymond Hunt, who hold two shares each.

The company is authorized to act as trustee or fiscal agent or agent for persons, corporations, as guardian for infants, idiots and persons non compos mentis or others incapacitated from attending to their own business and to act as executor or administrator of the estates of deceased persons, to manage the affairs or to take over and carry on the business of any partnership, person or corporation either by acquiring the property or business thereof or the shares of stocks or other securities of such corporations or companies by virtue of any power of attorney or proxy or other instrument. To form, promote and assist financially all other corporations, syndicates, partnerships and associations of all kinds and to give any guarantee in connection therewith for the payment of money or for the performance of any obligations undertaken. To promote corporations and enterprises and to endorse, underwrite and guarantee stocks and securities of all kinds upon the real and personal property of any corporation, corporations or persons. To purchase and own lands, shares and other property, obligations, evidences of indebtedness, etc., and to exercise in respect to the same all the rights and powers of private individuals. The capital stock authorized is $200,000 but the corporation has the power of beginning business when $10,000 has been subscribed, which has been done as above stated.

MR. W. R. STEES DEAD.

Passed Away Suddenly Yesterday at Wrightsvile Sound—Funeral.

Many friends in this city yesterday were pained to learn of the sudden death of Mr. William R. Stees, a well known and popular young Wilmington man, which occurred yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the Atlantic View Hotel, Wrightsville Sound, where he had been for some days for his health after having been in the hospital for several weeks undergoing treatment for dropsy and a complication of diseases.

For some prior to his going to the hospital he had been in the employ of Messrs. Mitchell & Co., in the saw mill industry at New Berlin. He was well as usual yesterday morning, and spoke of going fishing in the Sound, had started down the steps, suddenly turned and fell, passing away before a physician could reach him.

Mr. Stees was about 37 years of age and a native of Baltimore. He had lived in this city for twelve or fifteen years, and was well liked by everyone with whom he came in contact. For the past five years he had been an enthusiastic member of Eyota Tribe, No. 5, I. O. R. M., and members of that order immediately took charge of the remains and had them prepared for burial by Mr. James F. Woolvin, later removing the casket to the Red Men's home, on North Front street, where the body lies in state until this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock when the funeral services will be conducted there. In the absence of telegraphic advices from the family in Baltimore, it is as yet undecided whether the remains will be buried here or taken to Baltimore. This, however, will not interfere with the funeral arrangements and the members of the Red Men in this city are officially called to assemble at the building this afternoon at the hour named for the purpose of attending the obsequies. A brother of Mr. Stees resides in Baltimore and a sister in Hoboken, N. J.

REHDER'S MILL-END SALE.

Crowds Being Attracted by Novel Event at Department Store.

The Great Mill-End Sale at the Department Store of Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co., a feature of which is a surprise sale between certain hours in the morning is attracting wide attention in the city and the place is being thronged daily. For half an hour each morning the public has the right to buy a surprise package in which is contained some article of value between five and fifty cents. This novel feature is to attract attention to the big sale proper, in which all kinds of goods are thrown on the counters at a price which seems almost incredulous.

False Alarm of Fire.

An alarm of fire was turned in from box 22, Second and Market streets, last night at 9:10 o'clock by two young boys who saw smoke issuing from the rear window of living apartments in the vicinity of the Rountree House. However, when the firemen reached the scene the fire could not be found The smoke was evidently from a room in which mosquitoes were being "smoked out."

Candy Firecrackers for the Fourth at the Carl B. Rehder Candy Co.

WORK IN ROBESON

President Moore and Others of Cotton Association at Lumberton Monday.

AT CLARKTON YESTERDAY

Grand Rally at Maxton on Thursday. Plan to Organize $200,000 Company to Finance "Debt" Crop of the County—Wilmington.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 2.—Your correspondent is much impressed with the little city of Lumberton in the big county of Robeson, which was visited Monday with President C. C. Moore and other speakers of the North Carolina Division of the Southern Cotton Association. The clean streets, cement walks, substantial business houses, lively step of the business people, the large cotton mills, the two banks, the elegant homes and the kindly greeting extended to the visitor all makes one think that Lumberton is a good place to make the home.

Judge Jones, the genial, bighearted dealer of justice, is holding court. It is said that Judge Jones is opposed to interruption of any court proceedings whatever; he wants to open court Monday and grind away until the docket is clear and only twice has his court been interrupted—once at Goldsboro, when Charles Cotton Moore one day at 11 o'clock marched 200 pretty girls and 250 farmers into the court room; the judge saw he was routed and with a witticism closed his court. The second interruption was at Lumberton yesterday. Charles Cotton again stormed the court room with a young army of Robeson county farmers and Judge Jones again yielded for three hours to the producers of the country's wealth. "Cotton Moore," as the State president of the Cotton Association is commonly called, was referred to recently by one of the most prominent men of the State as being a "remarkable educator." This man said that Mr. Moore had won the hearts of the farmers, that they would attend any meeting that Mr. Moore attended and that they gave close attention to all he said; that his expressions, which are original, to the point and peculiar, make impressions that stick in the minds of his hearers and therefore he is an "educator."

Mr. Moore, assisted by Sheriff McLeod, Mr. Sandy McKinnon and other Cotton Association workers, has within the past week met with farmers and business men at Red Springs, Parkton, Rowland, Fairmont and Lumberton. At each place influential men have taken hold of the cotton question, selected committees to organize warehouse holding companies and subscription books are already open.

Fairmont leads off with $4,000 subscribed in two days. Dr. J. P. Brown, Mr. J. D. McLean and others, are at work.

The Monday meeting at Lumberton was impressive, the large court room being well filled. Close attention was paid to the speakers, Sheriff McLeod, Mr. Moore, Mr. McKinnon, Mr. J. A. McAllister and Mr. W. R. Barker. That the farmers and business men realize that co-operation is necessary was plainly evident here.

At Maxton Thursday another cotton meeting will be held, delegates from every section of the country having signified their purpose of being present. An effort will be made to incorporate a company of $200,000 for the purpose of financing the "debt" cotton of Robeson county.

President Moore says that he has calls from every cotton county. He takes this to mean that the people generally are interested in the warehouse holding plan. If they were not interested, he says, there would be no calls for information. Mr. Moore, in his talk here Monday spoke very complimentarily of the business firms of Wilmington. He said their endorsement of the work in which he is engaged was helpful to him; that at many places in the State he was asked what the Wimington people were going to do. He stated that they were behind the Cotton Association. The upcountryman looks to Wilmington as a sort of Egypt in many matters, as a place where help may be had in famine times, and the hope is that Wilmington will form a warrant company to negotiate the warehouse holding cotton certificates issued by the upcountry bonded warehouse companies.

Today President Moore and party spent at Clarkton interesting the business men of that enterprising town and conferring with Bladen growers on the situation. He left tonight on the late train for Wilmington. He will call further on Wilmington merchants and return to Maxton for the big rally there day after tomorrow.

NO PAPER FRIDAY.

Following the long established custom in Wilmington newspaperdom, no issue of The Morning Star will be published Friday morning, the brief suspension being on account of the Fourth of July holiday. Subscribers may expect their papers on the morning of the Fourth, but the following morning there will be no publication, unless such a news story as would warrant an extra develops in the meantime requiring The Star force to forego the holiday for the public benefit.

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INTER-URBAN ELECTRIC LINES.

An electric railway has been completed from Aanderson, S. C., ten miles to the town of Belton. The power for operating the line is furnished by the Savannah River Power Company's plant at Gregg Shoals on the Savannah river. The inter-urban line is to be a great thing for our Southern cities, and sooner or later there will be great activity among our towns and cities in reaching out into sections that are necessary in building up their trade.

The Charlotte papers this week announce that the electric railway people of that city have definitely decided to extend their line and take in several towns some 30 miles away. The Charlotte Chronicle of Monday says:

"President Latta, of the Four C's, has made public his plans for the electric car line to the Catawba river, from which point the line will be eventually extended to Mt. Holly and Gastonia. The project is an extensive undertaking, but the Four C's has faith in it, and the people have faith in the Four C's. It will be the greatest development work yet accomplished in this section of the South."

Says the Charlotte Evening News of Monday:

"It seems that the line to the river is not merely a sweet anticipation, but is shortly to be a glorious realization of a long cherished hope. May the day speed when Charlotte will be the hub about which is woven a network of inter-urban lines. Nothing will enhance the growth of the Queen City so much. We are on the threshhold of a new era, and the hopes of the future are, indeed, bright."

The Charlotte Observer of yesterday says:

"The people of Charlotte and those along the proposed line must have read with a great deal of interest in The Observer of Sunday and yesterday of the definite purpose of the Charlotte Consolidated Construction Company to carry its street car line to the river and eventually to Mt. Holly and by the intervening villages to Gastonia. To do this, however, it must get out of Charlotte and the only practicable route is through a subway under the track of the Atlanta & Charlotte Air Line Railroad at the foot of First street. There has gone abroad an impression that the Four C's wants the city to build and pay for the subway, which is not the case at all, this company and the Southern Railway Company proposing to do that themselves.

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"A street car line to the river has been the dream of Charlotte for years and it is almost in sight. The delight of a Summer evening ride over the line would be magnified at the end by a beautiful park which will be laid out on the Davidson Place, three miles north of the railroad, and by a Summer hotel overlooking the river for miles, this hotel being built with special reference to dining room capacity. The fruition of these plans will mean much to the pleasure and financial benefit of Charlotte and much every way to the people along the line."

One of the special objects of Charlotte in extending its line to the Catawba river, some eight or ten miles distant, is to build a park. Wilmington is right on the river and there are many spots which could be converted into the most beautiful of parks, yet we do not seem to appreciate the advantages of having these things right at our doors, while other people dig down and go ten miles after them. Let us get a move on us.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

The Macon Telegraph gives a curious and somewhat startling reason why it is necessary to have compulsory education in Georgia. The Telegraph does so in replying to this paragraph from the New York Evening Post:

"The Georgia Legislature is likely, according to Dr. Jeff. Davis, president of the Georgia Industrial Association, to find itself in a dilemma. It is committed to the disfranchisement of the negroes, yet will also be subject to strong pressure to pass a compulsory education law. How to compel the white children to attend school without teaching all the little negroes likewise, is the problem. Dr. Davis fears that the education of the negroes will speedily bring to naught their disfranchisement."

Our esteemed Macon contemporary in its reply to the above, states the real reason as follows:

"The point which the Evening Post does not see, or does not wish to see, is that virtually 'all the little negroes' are attending school already—even when their parents can afford to put nothing better in their lunch-baskets than a few 'chews' of sugar cane—while a large class of white children are kept at home or put to work and never see the inside of a school house as a result of the sotted ignorance, the criminal indifference, or the selfish greed of their parents.

"There is good reason why more is said about the need of a compulsory education law to protect white children than to protect black. The latter are in little need of the protection of such a law, to the honor of their parents be it said. The law is not to be feared for the reason stated by the Evening Post, for the parents of the little negrodes see to it that their children take advantage of the educational opportunities provided by the State. Would that all the white parents were as wise!"

The plain truth in the Telegraph's explanation is that the whites are neglecting the education of their children and have to be compelled to send them to school, whereas the negroes, fired by the ambition to educate their children, are taking advantage of every opportunity to do so. It is a sad commentary that white people have to be forced to do what colored people are running over themselves to do. Can it be that the colored people of Georgia or any other Southern State appreciate the advantages of educating their children while a certain class of whites are indifferent to it?

While the Georgia case is up, it is said that about the same situation is experienced in North Carolina.

MARION BUTLER'S BROTHER DOWN AND OUT.

The Raleigh Evening Times of Monday contained this news item:

"Postmaster W. G. Briggs today announced that he has appointed Thomas Claude Council, of Holly Springs, assistant postmaster here to succeed Lester F. Butler, who has been assistant postmaster during Mr. Briggs' incumbency. Mr. Council is a graduate of Wake Forest College. He was a former Populist and has been a Republican since 1898. He served as county cotton weigher in that year, and he has been frequently Republican pollholder at his precinct. He is master of the Masonic lodge at Holly Springs and secretary of the union of the Raleigh Baptist Association. Up to this time he has been principal of the Catawba Springs School near Holly Springs. He is known to be a close personal and political friend of the postmaster. Mr. Council has accepted the position, and will assume his new duties on July 15. Neither Mr. Briggs nor Mr. Butler would say anything as to the reason for the change. Of course the general impression among those who heard of the matter today was that the recent newspaper controversy between Chairman Adams of the Republican State Executive Committee and Ex-Senator Marion Butler, brother of Lester Butler, is at the bottom of the matter."

If The Times is correct in the statement that it is probable that the controversy between Marion Butler and Judge Adams is at the bottom of Lester Butler's undoing, it shows that Adams seems to be on top when it comes to controlling public patronage. Postmaster Briggs would hardly get rid of the brother of a man as influential as former Senator Butler unless there was pressure from a source with more influence behind it—State Chairman Adams for instance.

Lester Butler is editor of The Caucasian, former Senator Butler's paper now published at Raleigh. In view of his losing the assistant postmastership at Raleigh, it is significant to recall that in very recent issues of his paper he has spoken openly of the controversy between his brother and Judge Adams. Other Republican papers have declared that the controversy was at an end, but articles in The Caucasian since their declarations would indicate that it had not ended, as a matter of fact. Lester Butler's retirement, forced or voluntary, would indicate that the controversy between Marion Butler and Spencer B. Adams is still a disturbing force in Republican circles in North Carolina.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—If you really live in a good town—and you do— tell others how good it is and don't grumble about the weather or the aldermen.—Newbern Sun.

—"The President does't know everything," says Jack London. If Jack wants us to retain our opinion of his courage he will have to repeat that assertion in the presence of Mr. Roosevelt.—Washington Post.

—"Jack" Lee, the lawyer who defended Judge Loving, also conducted the defense for McCue, who was hanged for wife murder. He had better success in the Loving case.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—When some ward politician gets to arguing with you laborers and farmers about the burdens that will be placed upon you to secure streets and roads, just ask him if he can compute the amount you have to pay in the sand and mud tax.—Newbern Sun.

—"The Constitution," declared Senator Knox inh is Yale address, "is not to perish at the hands of the impassioned phrase-maker." This is good news for the danger has seemed more than threatening ever since the Roosevelts and the Roots have been manufacturing phrases and delivering them amid the hearty applause of the Bryans.—Macon Telegraph.

—While it is now known that no decision in the matter of the Eastern Carolina Training school location will be given before July 10th, the delay in this decision has provoked a good deal of unfavorable comment, in this section. * * * Either the general plan laid down for those seeking this school was faulty, or there is something in this delay which is going to give some place an advantage. It is to be hoped that the end, when the decision comes, will not reveal "peanut politics."—Newbern Journal.

—Yorkville, S. C., has just carried an election, the significance of which is that hereafter all new industries shall be exempted from taxation for a period of five years. The result of this means that Yorkville will have many new industries that it would not otherwise have had. This will be a great stimulus to the industrial life of that town. According to the constitution of North Carolina such procedure on the part of any town would not be permissible. All corporations, new or old, are required to list for taxation. This plan has its merits and we believe, its demerits. Could Charlotte follow the example of Yorkville there would be a different story to tell in a few years.—Charlotte News.

TWINKLINGS.

—Harper's Bazar.—A lady in a neighboring city went to call on a friend. The door was opened by a "green" maid who said: "Yes, Mrs. Gilbert's to home, but she's a-laying down. Shall I raise her?"

Cleveland Plain Dealer.—Guest to lonesome-looking man in the corner: "Awfully stupid affair, don't you think?" "No doubt of it." "No man would ever dream of giving a mixed-up thing of this sort." "That's what I told my wife." "Have I met your wife?" "Very likely. She's the woman that's giving the party."

—Milwaukee Sentinal.—"What lady come of your umbrella?" "I loaned it to Tompkins." Why doesn't he return it?" "The owner caught him with it and demanded it."

—Philadelphia Record.—"I gave you a dime, and you went immediately into a saloon," remarked the benevolent gentleman. "Don't you know it is very wasteful to spend your money for liquor?" "I've often though of that, sir." replied the weary wayfarer, "but I've never yet found a place where I could get it for nothing."

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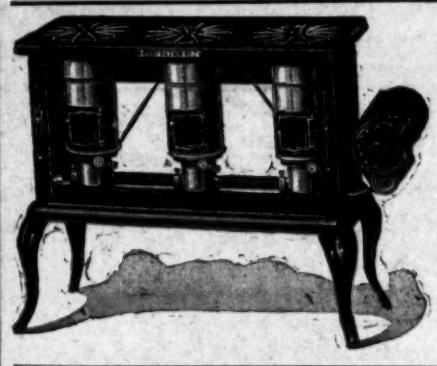

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LEGAL TENDER.

The Status of Coin, Bank Notes, Government Notes and Checks.

Unless an agreement is made the only payment known to the law is cash. Primarily cash is gold or silver. Gold is a legal tender for everything. Silver coins (except the dollar) are a legal tender for the amount of $10 only and the minor coins, the five and one cent pieces, to the amount of 25 cents.

There are many kinds of paper money. Only one can be used in making a legal tender in all payments, the notes issued by the United States government and commonly called legal tender notes. National bank notes are a legal tender to the government, but are not a legal tender in payment of a debt by one individual to another.

A check is not an absolute payment of an obligation. It is no better than a note, and a note is not money. Most obligations, however, are settled by check. The receiver has a distinct duty to perform. He must present the check within a reasonable time to the bank on which it is drawn. Should he carry it in his pocket for several months and in the meantime the bank should fail he would be the loser.—New York Press.

Henry Hudson.

Beyond the fact that Henry Hudson was English nothing is known of his birth. In 1607 Hudson sailed from London in a tiny vessel—the crew consisted of ten men and a boy—to discover the Northwest passage. On this voyage the navigator passed the eightieth degree of latitude. Two years later Hudson sailed for North America and discovered the Hudson river, up which he sailed 150 miles. In 1610 Hudson sailed in an English ship named the Discovery and discovered Hudson strait and Hudson bay, where he wintered. The crew mutinied and set Hudson, his son John and seven infirm sailors adrift in a boat. Nothing has ever since been heard of the great sailor who gave his name to New York's river.

Valuable Conch Shell.

There are evidently a number of mysterious properties about the conch shell in its relation to Indian religious rites and ceremonies that require investigation. For instance, a conch with its spirals twisting to the right instead of to the left is supposed to be worth its weight in gold. Some years ago a conch of that description was offered for sale in Calcutta with a reserve price of a lac of rupees placed on it. It was eventually bought in for £4,000.—Allahabad Pioneer.

Tears.

"On the right," said a Killarney guide to a party of tourists, "ye'll see a cascade called the Maiden's Tears and on the left a cascade called the Widow's Tears, 'cause it dries up the quickest."

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

We all need things we can plug along without.

If you are right, don't let a clever man persuade you out of it.

The thoughts you can't express without profanity are not very important.

Apologies are like family skeletons. They should not be taken out before company.

Half our bad temper comes through our inability to see the justice of the other side.

When you think you have done your best the chances are that you have only started.

This would be a more comfortable world if people would listen to reason as readily as to gossip.

Some people have an absurd notion that unless they are always gabbing they will be considered dull.—Atchison Globe.

Looked Into the Wall.

A rather peculiar case of absent mindedness was that related of Peter Burrowes, an Irish lawyer. A friend who called on Burrowes at an early hour one morning found him shaving with his face held close to an empty wall. "What on earth are you assuming that attitude for?" he asked.

"To look in the glass," was the reply.

"But there's no glass there," laughed the acquaintance.

"Bless you! I didn't notice that before," said Burrowes, and then calling his servant he asked him what had become of the mirror.

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The Morning Star.

Wednesday, July 3, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 3, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Tuesday, July 2:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; at 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inches; rainfall for the month, .22 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Monday, 17 feet and falling.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Wednesday, probable local showers, cooler in central portion; Thursday fair; light to fresh winds on the coast mostly southwest.

Port Calendar—July 3.

Sun Rises .. ..4:47 A. M.
Sun Sets .. ..7:20 P. M.
Day's length .. .. .. 14 hrs. 35 min.
High water at Southport 2:51 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 5:21 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Marjorie Haywood, of Columbia, S. C., is a guest of Miss Tallulah DeRosset, on South Second street.

—Mrs. J. A. Springer has gone to Philadelphia, Pa., where she will spend several weeks with friends and relatives.

—Mrs. S. W. Woodward and little Miss Dorothy Woodward, of Durham, are in the city on a visit to Mrs. B. S. Mills.

—Miss Elsie Underhill, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has been an attractive guest of Miss Lottie Taylor, on Dock street, has returned to her home.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cannon, of Concord, are in the city and are guests of Mrs. Cannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Borden, on North Third street.

—Miss Louise McCarthy, daughter of Mayor McCarthy, and Miss Arabella S. Pilcher, of Richmond, Va., are attractive visitors at Wrightsville Beach and in this city. They will spend some time here and at the beach.

—Mr. Owen T. Taylor and family who have been visiting Mr. Taylor's mother, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, No. 120 Dock street, for some time, have returned to New York. Mr. Taylor will sail in a few days, returning to Panama where he has an important position.

—Mrs. Wm. E. Worth left Sunday morning in response to a telegram Saturday night stating that her father, Mr. Shay, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was critically ill. The friends of Mrs. Worth will deeply sympathize with her in the announcement received yesterday that Mr. Shay died Monday morning before she reached his bedside.

—Charlotte Chronicle: "Mrs. E. W. Mellon and children and Mr. J. R. Craig will leave in the morning for Wrightsville Beach, where they will spend some time. —Mrs. J. W. Ferguson leaves Wednesday for Wrightsville Beach, where she will spend a week or ten days. —Mr. and Mrs. David Jenkins will leave tomorrow night for a stay of several weeks at Wrightsville Beach."

—Mr. J. W. Brooks, of the firm of Brooks & Taylor, has returned from a business and pleasure visit to his old home at Seaside, Brunswick county, where he accompanied his children to spend the summer with their grandmother. Mr. Brooks says crops are looking well and the prospect is bright. While away he attended a meeting of those interested in the estate of the late B. J. Bennett, who passed away in Brunswick two weeks ago. Mr. Brooks represented Wilmington creditors of the estate and says that a satisfactory adjustment of affairs was accomplished.

ARRESTED ON SERIOUS CHARGE.

Henry Wilson, Colored, to be Tried for Attempting Criminal Assault.

Henry Wilson, colored, a middle-aged negro, was arrested yesterday about noon on Water street, near Chestnut, by Officer C. E. Wood. Wilson is charged with attempting a criminal assault on Mittie Griffin, a respectable young colored woman living in the vicinity of Second and Brunswick streets. The alleged attempt was made last August in the northern part of the city but Wilson soon after the occurrence fled the city and it was only a day or two ago that he had the temerity to return. Officer Wood always has his wits about him and the negro had not been in town long before he was spotted and locked up at the police station. The Griffin woman has given Officer C. G. Jones a number of witnesses for the presecution and the hearing will take place before the Mayor at noon today.

Remains Brought Here Last Night.

The remans of the late Mr. James W. Daniel, who passed away at Fremont, N. C., Monday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock after a continued illness with typhoid fever, were brought to Wilmington on the train from the north yesterday evening accompanied by members of the immediate family, Mrs. J. W. Blomme and Mrs. C. G. Terry, sisters, of this city, and a number of friends. The remains were taken to the residence of Mrs. Terry, Third and Davis streets, and the funeral will be conducted from Grace Church at 10 o'clock after which the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery. Mr. Daniel was a member of Concordia Lodge of Masons, at Edgefield, S. C., and out of respect to their brother members of Wilmington lodges are called to meet this morning for the purpose of attending the obsequies in a body.

Tonight Midweek Dance.

At Lumina. Three-car trains every half-hour. *

LOCAL DOTS.

—Services First Church of Christ, Scientist, this evening at 8:15 o'clock; Odd Fellows' Building, second floor; all are invited.

—The freight warehouses of the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line will be closed on July 4th on account of legal holiday, except to deliver perishable freight from 9 to 10 o'clock A. M.

—One of the features of the celebration of the "Glorious Fourth," with the colored people, will be a fish fry at Masonboro Sound for the benefit of Shiloh Baptist Church. The affair will be at Smith's Landing.

—Officer I. F. Huggins yesterday afternoon rounded up a couple of vagrants in the northern part of the city. At Fifth and Bladen he found Emeline Brown, an old offender, and at Fifth and Swann he coralled James Blue, colored. They will have a seance before the Mayor at noon today.

—The Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association, one of Wilmington's favorite institutions of its character, has an announcement of interest to investors or home builders in another column. It will shortly offer a new series of stock that will be found quite attractive.

—By deed filed for record yesterday J. F. Mills and wife, of Pender county, transferred to John W. Winders, for $600, a tract of 245 acres of land in Cape Fear township. Godfrey Hart and others transferred to W. T. Suden, for $245, property on south side of Gwyn, 165 feet east of Dickinson street, 33x132 feet in size.

—Mrs. Yates, wife of Adjutant Yates, of the Salvation Army, has been confined to her home since Thursday, last, with fever. She was able to be up some yesterday, and her many friends hope that before long she will be entirely restored to health.

—As will be seen by reference to the advertisement elsewhere in today's paper the steamer Atlantic until further notice will leave Wilmington daily except Saturday at 2:30 P. M., instead of 3 P. M. as heretofore. On Thursday, the fourth of July, the Atlantic will leave at 6:30 P. M., instead of 2:30 P. M. as heretofore.

—The recent multiplication of the number of hacks and carriages on the streets, many of them drawn by underfed and emaciated horses, has given rise to an order to the policemen from Mayor Springer to keep a sharp lookout for animals that should not be driven because of their condition and to bring the drivers before him.

—Report of Treasurer of Associated Charities for the month of June, 1907: Receipts, New Hanover county, $125; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, $1; a friend, $75; cash, .10. Disbursements, Secretary's salary, $25; Catherine Kennedy Home, $12.50; groceries, $127; rent for those in need, $12.50; cash help, $3; wood, $25; telephone, $3.

—Another diver has arrived from Norfolk and Capt. Pendleton, the purchaser, hopes to have the schooner Stanley H. Minor ready for tow to New York in a few days. She is now down the river where the diver is patching her with canvas. Pumps on board will endeavor to reduce the water in the hold when the patchwork is completed.

—In Justice Bornemann's court yesterday Will McNeill, colored, charged with beating his wife. The woman in the case came into court and gave the better half (?) a little song and dance with the result that he paid up the costs and she promised to be a more dutiful help-meet to him in the future.

—Upon invitation of Col. William Lamb, Rev. J. A. Smith, of this city, is soon to deliver an address in Norfolk on the battle of Fort Fisher and some of his impressions upon the late great reunion in this city. Rev. Mr. Smith is first vice president of the Fort Fisher Survivors' Association, an eloquent speaker and he will no doubt be heard with great interest and profit by the Virginians.

—An event of much pleasure to a great many will be the concert and tableaux tonight beginning at 9 o'clock in the auditorium of the Seashore Hotel at Wrightsville Beach under the auspices of the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters. There will be a three-car train every half hour on the suburban line and patrons from the city will find it easy to go and come. The concert is for the benefit of the District Nurse, a charity which should appeal to all.

Drew Pistol On Captain.

Charged with carrying a concealed weapon and an assault with a deadly weapon, Manley Jackson, colored, was bound to the higher court by Justice Furlong yesterday morning and in default of $25 bond in each case, he was committed to jail. Jackson was a passenger on the negro excursion to Carolina Beach Monday. Returning on the late trip of the boat, Jackson became disorderly and was called to time by Capt. Harper. The negro drew a pistol on Capt. Harper but upon second thought he ran to one of the lower decks hoping to lose himself in the crowd. Capt. Harper and Constable Savage spotted him and plunged him in the brig until he could be transferred to jail.

Money for Large Verdict.

Mr. T. S. McManus, manager for the Southern Bell Telephone Company, in this city, yesterday received notice from the clerk of the court at Rock Hill, S. C., that the opinion of the Supreme Court in the damage suit brought by him against the Seaboard Air Line for the killing of Mrs. McManus in the wreck at Catawba Bridge several years ago, had been certified down and that the railroad company had paid the judgment. The money is now available in the bank at Rock Hill and is subject to check by Mr. McManus. The amount is $25,000, principal, and $2,055 accrued interest.

Children's pat leather belts 5c, Mill-End Sale at Rehder's. *

Candy Firecrackers for the Fourth at the Carl B. Rehder Candy Co. *

ON THE RHOE QUESTION.

Meeting of Executive Board of District Colored Association.

At a recent meeting of the Executive Board of the Middle District Baptist Association and Ministers and Deacons' Union of the same body at Wallace, N. C., resolutions were passed concerning Rev. J. H. Rhoe and the following resolutions were endorsed:

"We, the colored Baptist ministers deacons and members of the colored Baptist Churches of Wilmington, N. C., met in the Central Baptist Church this, the first day of July, 1907, at 8:30 P. M., and adopted the following resolutions: That, whereas, The Rev. J. H. Rhoe, of the First Baptist Church, colored, of this city, in his illegal ruling, has destroyed the peace and harmoney of that congregation; and, Whereas, As the said J. H. Rhoe has suspended all the principles as well as the fundamental laws governing the Baptist Church general; and, Whereas the said J. H. Rhoe did, on the 26th day of June 1907, ignore the Baptist law in open conference read by Rev. Dr. Fred D. Hale, and in open violation of Baptist Church polity, and at the protest of the First Baptist Church proper and Dr. Fred D. Hale, the said J. H. Rhoe, in violation of the Baptist Church government, voted watch-care members as well as members of other denominations, in order to elect himself pastor of the said First Baptist Church, colored. Therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the ministers, deacons, and members, of the colored Baptist Churches of this city, do this day denounce and condemn the said J. H. Rhoe and his followers for violating the above sacred principles of the Baptist Church general, and ask the Civil Court for justice."

"REV. S. C. COPELAND,
"Chairman.
"JAS. M. WHITTED,
"Secretary."

Wreck on Newbern Road.

Eight cars of a freight train on the Newbern road were wrecked Monday one mile this side of Maysville. James Breadwell, of Greenville, S. C., a Western Union lineman, on his way to Newbern to do some work, was caught under one of the overturned cars and badly injured, having been removed to Newbern and placed in the hospital there. Both his upper and lower jawbones were broken and he has other bruises. A mule in a car which fell over on him was not injured. The passengers, mail and express at the scene of the wreck had to be transferred.

Colds and Bald Heads.

A baldheaded physician said: "I used to be dreadfully subject to colds even in the summer. I had to wear a black skullcap all the time. The minute I took it off I began to sneeze and wheeze. But now for a year I have not once worn a skullcap, and I have not once had a cold. Why, I could go and stand bareheaded in a snowstorm without any ill effect. My immunity to colds comes from this: Every morning I put my head under the cold water spigot and let the cold water run for a minute on my bald crown. This is a refreshing thing, and since I began to do it I have never had a cold."—Milwaukee Journal.

The Moorhen.

What could be more perfect defense than the device of the moorhen? She sinks herself in the water beneath an overhanging root or bank, leaving only her bill in sight. And that looks like a fallen leaf. You may stand within six feet of her, and she will not move, so sure is she that her ruse will succeed.—London Standard.

Fair and Square.

City Boarder—When you exchanged cattle with Farmer Smith, did you get a quid pro quo? Farmer Jones—No. Neighbor Smith didn't try no sich mean tricks on me. We swapped fair and even.—Baltimore American.

—Dunn Guide: When the northbound passenger train, No. 80, reached Dunn Tuesday, a lady, Mrs. Mary Rogers, of South Georgia, stepped from the train before it reached the station, and fell, breaking her leg and received slight wounds about the head. She was to have gotten off the train at Parkton but for some cause was carried by and the conductor did not find out the mistake until after the train left Fayetteville and was to bring her to Dunn and send her back on the Southbound train. While the train was three hundred yards from the station it came almost to a standstill to allow some section hands to remove some obstruction on the road and the porter called out Dunn, the lady rushed to the platform and either stepped off or fell off with the result as stated above. She was placed in the car of local physicions, who have done what they could for her comfort She is 46 years of age, and has relatives at Parkton.

DIED.

DANIEL—At Fremont, N. C., Monday, July 1st, 5:30 P. M., JAMES W. DANIEL, aged 32 years.

Funeral this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock from Grace M. E. Church, this city; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

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State of North Carolina,
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Rosa L. Harley vs. James Harley.

It appearing from the affidavit of the plaintiff that defendant is a non-resident of the State and cannot, after due diligence, be found in this State—and that this a suit for divorce on the ground of adultery, the defendant having abandoned plaintiff and left the State and married one Mary C. Younger in Philadelphia, and that a cause of action exists in favor of plaintiff against defendant, now the defendant is notified to be and appear at the next term of the Superior Court of this County, to be held in Wilmington on Monday, the 22nd of July, 1907, and answer or demur to the complaint this day filed or judgment will be granted according to the prayer thereof.

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JOHN D. TAYLOR,
Clerk of Superior Court of New Hanover County.

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PLOT TO ASSASSINATE WITTE.

Loyal Revolutionist Gave Way Diabolical Conspiracy.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

St. Petersburg, July 2.—From Revolutionary sources there has been obtained and published full details of a sensational reactionary plot to compass the murder of Count Witte, the former Russian premier, who represented his country at the peace negotiations at Portsmouth in 1905. This assassination was planned by the Moscow branch of the Union of True Russian People, the organization to which the Emperor sent a communication on June 1, conveying his blessing to the ultra, reactionary party and his hopes for the success of its purposes. The execution of the plot was entrusted to the leader of the Moscow branch, a man named Kazantseff, who came to St. Petersburg the latter part of May and secured employment in a factory as a common laborer. He befriended several of his fellow workmen, and after announcing himself as an anarchist he enlisted four men to assist him in carrying out his commission. It was planned to throw a bomb at Count Witte's carriage from the window of a cheap boarding house on Kameny Island, while the Count was on his way to attend a meeting of the Council of the Empire.

The plot, however, was betrayed by the revolutionist bureau which gave Count Witte warning. The four workmen continued to pretend loyalty to Kazantseff in order not to arouse his suspicion. The day for the arrassination was fixed, and that morning Kazantseff led his supposed assistants to a wood in the vicinity of St. Petersburg in order to get the bombs from a secret hiding place. At this point the four men turned on Kazantseff and killed him carrying out the sentence of death passed on him.

The Revolutionists kept the facts in their possession secret in order to aid the police in identifying the murderers of the young man who was found in a wood in the suburb of this city June 11, with his throat cut and who was supposed to have been executed by fellow terrorists as a spy. Through the aid of certain telephone numbers this crime has been taced to some well known leaders of the Black Hundreds organization of Moscow.

Today the procurator of Moscow searched the lodgings of Kazantseff and found considerable, compromising material. The widow of Kazantseff, up to the present time, and has been ignorant of the fate of her husband.

Count Wittee today is the most hated member of the ultra-reactionary party.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

Two Carloads of Giant Powder Set Off by Burning Grass.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Salt Lake City, July 2.—Two carloads of giant powder on a side track of the Oregon Short Line at Becks Hot Springs, five miles from this city, caught fire from burning grass and exploded this afternoon, jarring heavy buildings in this city and breaking windows for miles around. A local passenger train was a quarter of a mile away when the powder exploded. Every window in the train was broken and passengers were hurled from their seats. Telegraph and telephone communication was shut off as every pole in the neighborhood was broken.

WARM WIRELETS.

China has notified the powers of the opening of Manchuria to foreign trade. The opening of Liao, Fing-Huan-Chang, Ninguta, San Sing, Hun Chun and Railar, together with those previously announced, makes a total of twenty-one towns in Manchuria now open to foreign commerce.

George Herbert, a negro, was shot to death by a posse near Comer, Ga., on Tuesday, as the results of a difficulty between him and a white man named Cicero Woods. Woods was wounded. The men quarrelled and the negro barricaded himself in a house, shooting and seriously wounding Woods. A posse formed and upon Herbert's refusal to come out, the posse opened fire, killing the negro.

Governor Hughes, of New York, yesterday afternoon called an extraordinary session of the Legislature for Monday night, July 8, at 8:30. The Governor in his call does not mention any subject to be taken up at the extraordinary session. His plan is to have the Legislature meet and then send in a special message as to what subject or subjects it should consider, probably including the apportionment of Senatorial districts of the State.

District Attorney Sims in accordance with directions from Attorney General Bonaparte and in pursuance of authority contained in the Elkins law as amended by the Hepburn act, filed suits against five of the big express companies in the United States Circuit Court in Chicago yesterday. The bills ask an injunction to prevent further alleged violations of the new rate laws in so far as they relate to the issuance of express franks. The companies affected are: United States National, American, Wells Fargo and Adams Express Companies.

The case of Edwin S. Holmes, Jr., the former associate statistician of the Department of Agriculture, who has been on trial in Washington since June 3 on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the leak of advance information regarding the government crop reports, was given to the jury yesterday. In his instructions Judge Stafford said that t he testimony tended to sustain the charge of the indictment. The case was given to the jury a few minutes after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and at 10 P. M. was locked up for the night.

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ART OF WALKING.

The First Requisite For a Good Gait Is a Good Poise.

The delightful art of walking, the happy practice of vagabondage which Stevenson and Whitman praised so well, the most innocent of pastimes, the simplest of exercises, is in danger of falling into abeyance, says Bliss Carman in the Delineator.

Our fashionable people affect one ridiculous manner of walking and then another year after year, but almost no one thinks it worth while to learn to walk normally. The normal walk is not a matter of caprice, but of art. It lends itself to the infinite varieties of character and becomes in each instance expressive of the individual, so that we recognize a man by his gait as easily as by his voice.

The first requisite of good walking is a good poise. If the body is well poised at each point of its motion, the motion itself must be good. The process of walking which has been described as a series of falls is, to be somewhat more accurate, a series of falls and recoveries so insensibly merged that there is no saying where the fall ends and the recovery begins. In walking we are in a continuous state of unstable equilibrium. We pass gradually from one position to another, yet are never out of poise. We are playing with gravity. A good walker spins the earth deftly beneath his feet, as an acrobat in a circus, lying on his back, spins a barrel or a painted ball.

BEHIND THE SCENES.

The Indifference of the Actor to His Stage Companions.

The indifference of the actor of almost every grade to the play and his fellow players is to the outsider one of the many inunderstandable things about this little known profession. There is an authentic case of an actor who gained sufficient favor and fortune in a certain play to appear in it continuously for four seasons. Although he naturally played the principal part, he did not appear until the second act, and it is a well known fact that during those four years he never saw the first act played or any part of it. There is no life behind the scenes, because actors and actresses who amount to anything go at once to their dressing rooms immediately their scenes on the stage are finished.

I recall an instance of a young woman whose dancing was a genuine sensation on Broadway for several years. She was very young and very pretty, and her engagement did much to establish the success of the theater at which she appeared. It must have been quite two years after she achieved her first success when the star, who was also the manager and owner of the theater, casually remarked one night in his dressing room: "Let's go down on the stage and look at Miss —— dance. I have never seen her, but they tell me she is very good."—Outing Magazine.

Caribou Horns.

Not one out of every ten female caribou has horns. When it does have them they are much smaller than those of the bull. The horns of the female, however, in general have many more branches than those of the bull, and they are much more regularly and finely formed. The cows carry their horns much longer than the bulls. They have been seen with their horns in the month of April. The old bulls shed their horns from the 10th to the last of November. They hardly ever carry them after the month of November. The young bulls shed theirs from the first of December until the middle of February. The younger the animal the longer he retains his horns.

Shakespeare and Scenery.

It is a peculiar fact that, while Shakespeare, of all dramatists, offers the greatest opportunity for scenery, he also, of all men who ever wrote, can best do without it. In fact, I believe Shakespeare owes his greatness in part to the fact that he did not have any scenery. He had to make everything clear without it. That is why his lines appeal to the mind as well as the action of the eye. Had he known different, said Daniel Frohman in the Delineator, Shakespeare would not have been nearly so great, because he probably never would have taken the pains. However, the converse isn't true. We are not hiding any Shakespeares behind scenery today.

Garrick's Little Joke.

Scene. The Star and Garter.

David Garrick and the usual galaxy assembled.

Garrick—Nolly, can you tell me why Dr. Johnson and Boswell are like thunder and lightning?

Goldsmith—Tell us the answer, Davy. I'll not spoil your fun by trying to guess it.

Garrick—Why, it should be plain to all who know them that whenever the one flashes the other claps and roars.—Harper's Weekly.

Contrary Counsel.

The church was packed, even the aisles lined with chairs. Just before the benediction the thoughtful clergyman, who loved order as he did the gospel, thus admonished his hearers:

"In passing out, please remain seated until the ushers have removed the chairs from the aisles."—Lippincott's Magazine.

Couldn't Stand the Strain.

Landlady—I'm sorry to say, sir, that the coffee is exhausted. Lodger—I'm not surprised. It has been so very weak lately.—Strana.

The word "cab," a contraction of "cabriolet," was not used until 1823.

THE RUBBER TREE.

How the Milk Is Treated After the Plant Is Tapped.

Para rubber is obtained from a large tree sixty feet high. The trees are tapped in the evening, and the juice is collected on the following morning. A deep horizontal incision is made near the base of the tree, and then from it a vertical one extending up the trunk, with others at short distances in an oblique direction. Small shallow cups made from clay and dried in the sun are placed below the incisions to receive the milk, each cup being attached by sticking a piece of soft clay to the tree and pressing the cup against it. Each tree yields only about six ounces of juice in three days.

To produce the rubber the juice is heated in the following manner: A piece of wood about three feet long, with a flattened clay mold at one end of it, is dipped in the milk, or this is placed over it as evenly as possible. The milk is then carefully dried by turning the mold round and round in a white vapor obtained by heating certain oily palm nuts, the vapor being confined within certain limits by the narrowness of the neck of the pot in which the nuts are heated. Each layer of rubber is allowed to become firm before adding another. A practiced hand can make five or six pounds an hour.—New York American.

WEARING TROUSERS.

At One Time the Custom Was Regarded as Irreligious.

It will assuredly seem more than strange that at one time, and not so long ago, the wearing of trousers was regarded as irreligious.

The fact that in October, 1812, an order was made by St. John's and Trinity colleges that every young man who appeared in hall or chapel in pantaloons or trousers should be considered as absent is startling enough, but it would appear that eight years later the founders of a Bethel chapel at Sheffield inserted a clause in the trust deed ordaining that "under no circumstances whatever shall any preacher be allowed to occupy the pulpit who wears trousers."

This is striking, but it is even more impressive to find that the Rev. Hugh Bourne, one of the two founders of the Primitive Methodist Connexion, said of his cofounder, "That trousers wearing, beer drinking Clowes will never get to heaven." And it would need a student of "the Breeches Bible" to say precisely when this assumed "connexion" between theology and trousers began and where the departure from it will end.—London Notes and Queries.

Salt.

In the appearance of salt, as seen in everyday use on the table, in the kitchen and elsewhere, there is apparently nothing particularly historic, but in reality there is. In 1520 B. C. Moses asked, "Can anything which is unsavory be eaten without salt?"

The Jews in ancient times were commanded to use salt in their sacrifices.

Herodotus, born 484 B. C., notes that the Egyptians preserved meat, fish and fowl by steeping them in brine.

The Hebrews invariably rubbed newborn babies with a solution of salt to harden the skin, make it healthy and prevent skin diseases.

Wherever salt is spoken of in ancient writings it is in most emphatic language, showing the great importance it possessed for our forefathers.—Pearson's.

Queer Book Titles.

"These old books," said the antiquary as he pointed to a dingy upper shelf, "are curious for their titles.

"Here is a volume of sermons printed in Salem in 1792. 'Sermons to Asses' is its scornful name.

"Here is a book dated 1743 that is called 'Look to It or I'll Stab Ye.' It is a treatise on polygamy.

"This is a pamphlet by a spinster against the young men of the seventeenth century. Its title is 'A Dissertation on the Pertness of Our Youth In General, Especially Such as Are Trained Up at Tea Tables.'

"A return blast to that dissertation is this other pamphlet of the same year: 'Quippes For Upstart Newfangled Gentlewomen; or, A Glass to View the Pride of Vainglorious Woman.'"

The Influence of Trees.

A writer in the Minnesota Horticulturist says: "There are but few people in the world who do not admire noble trees on streets or country roads, and wherever they are found such thoroughfares are the favorite drives. The man who plants trees is not only a public benefactor; he besides ministers to his own well being, physical, mental and spiritual. He deserves credit for altruistic work, and he displays good judgment in securing contentment for himself, thereby affording a double motive for his endeavors. Honor and happiness will be his reward."

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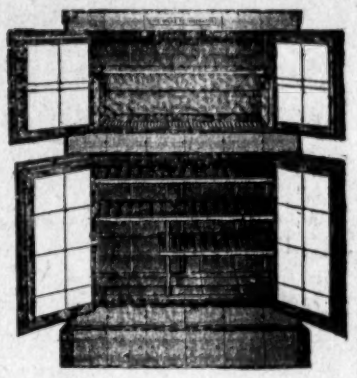

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Lenoir News: A week or so ago Mr. W. L. Sumter and Mr. Alex McMillan cut down a tree to get a hawks nest, Mr. Sumter having first killed the old parent hawks. In the nest they found, besides the two young ones, a rabbit, grown squirrel, partridge and eighteen small chickens. All dead, of course and a pile of bones showing that a number of other birds, etc., had been disposed of. The nest consisted of a big pile of brush, as much as a man could carry, and these articles of food were carefully cared for. This shows that the foresight and frugality of the hawk is something wonderful.

—Charlotte Observer, July 2: "Lookout for me, for I am coming," sung Mrs. Carrie Nation, the nation-renowned agitation, into the ear of Mayor McNinch late yesterday afternoon. The long distance telephone from Salisbury was the medium of communication. "Madam, we're already dry down here," replied the mayor, perhaps questioning the necessity of a missionary. "That's all right," replied Mrs. Nation, not the least abashed. "There are worse things Charlotte than saloons and I'm going to drop over and give them a rap." The upshot of it all was that the mayor promised Mrs. Nation what she wanted—the court house for Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. She will ask the spectators to buy some of her pamphlets. She will also speak at the picnic of cotton mill owners and operatives at Latta Park Thursday afternoon.

—New Bern Sun, July 2: Yesterday the new rate law passed by the last North Carolina General Assembly became effective and the Norfolk & Southern Railway Company sold tickets at 2 1-4 cents per mile, flat rate, in accordance with the law. This rate prevails only on the Beaufort division and the original Norfolk & Southern Railroad, the corporation commission having made an exception of the new and shorter branches of the Norfolk & Southern, and these lines charge a flat rate of 3 cents per mile. The action is taken by the Norfolk & Southern regardless of the fact that Judge Pritchard granted an injunction Saturday in favor of the Southern and Atlantic Coast Line, restraining the corporation from putting the law into effect until the matter shall have been heard in the courts. The old rate was 3 1-4 cents first-class and 2 3-4 second class.

—Asheville special to Charlotte Observer, July 1: It is believed here that close friends of Governor R. B. Glenn have advised him to call an extra session of the General Assembly of North Carolina to consider the railway rate legislation in view of the showing made by the railway companies in the hearing before Judge Pritchard in United States Circuit Court last week in suits for injunction against the rate laws enacted at the recent session. The statement is made that on their own showing on inter-State business the railroads would make a certain and adequate profit at a maximum passenger rate of 2 1-2 cents per mile, and it is contended that if the Governor should at once call the Legislature together to repeal the new law and enact another on this basis it would meet popular approval. There are persons in Asheville who believe that an early meeting of the Council of State will be called for the consideration of this matter.

—Salisbury, July 1: Ed. Ashby is a captive and the slayer of his father and later of his brother-in-law, Daniel Overcash, two weeks ago, will be in Salisbury tomorrow, where he will remain until August, when he will be tried. Sheriff Krider has been on Ashby's trail several days and last week heard that Ashby had been at Taylorsville and later near the Tennessee line at the little place known as Cranberry. Rrom there his son, Jim Krider, wired this morning that Ashby had been taken and would be brought here as soon as possible. The wire asked for $25 expenses for some one who took part in the arrest. Governor Glenn had offered a reward of $150 for the arrest of Ashby and had he not been captured today, the county commissioners would have increased the amount. The trial here will be in every way sensational. The murdered man stood well and the testimony contains some things that may be salacious, but will interest all the same. No lawyers have been retained by the relatives of the defendant, and so far as is known none for the prosecution.

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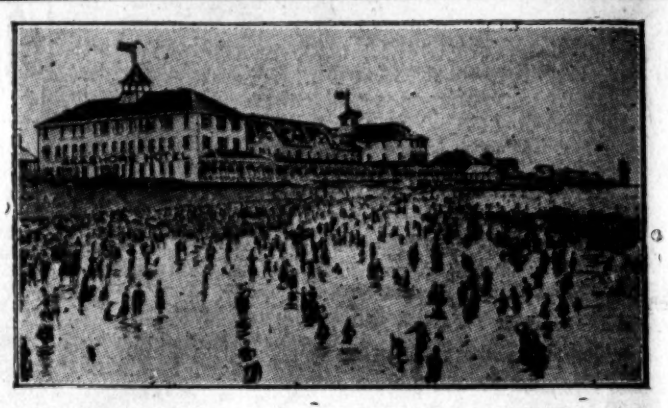

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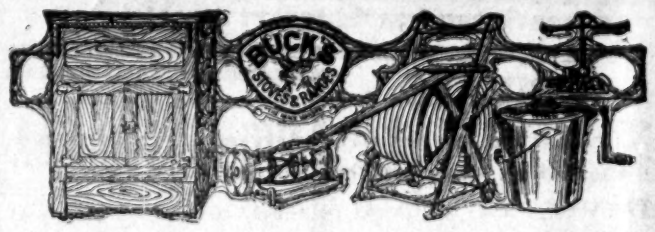

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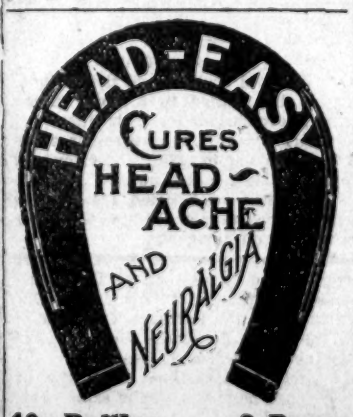

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NORTHBOUND.

		No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv.	Wilmington	9.45 am	7.00 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:55 pm
Ar.	Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:40 pm
Ar.	Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 pm
Ar.	Norfolk	8 35 pm	7:30 am
Ar.	Wilson	2:00 pm	10:25 pm
Ar.	Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:40 am
Ar.	Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar.	Washington	11:40 pm	8:50am
Ar.	Baltimore	1:43 am	10:13 am
Ar.	Philadelphia	4:25 am	12:27 am
Ar.	New York	7:20 am	3:00 am

SOUTHBOUND.

		No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv.	New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar.	Philadelphia	1:55 am	12:01 am
Ar.	Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:32 am
Ar.	Washington	3:21 pm	3:45 am
Ar.	Norfolk	6:10 pm	8:25 am
Lv.	Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar.	Petersburg	8:07 pm	9:03 am
Ar.	Weldon	9:57 pm	11:28 pm
Ar.	Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar.	Wilson	11:46 pm	1:58 pm
Ar.	Goldsboro	6:40 am	3:12 pm
Ar.	Wilmington	10:00 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	6:35 pm
Ar.	Fl'r'nce	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar.	Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	am
Ar.	Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar.	Sav'n'h	6:45 pm	2:45 am	9:54 am
Ar.	J'k'ville		9:00 am	2:20 pm
Ar.	Tampa		7:10 pm	10:02 am

NORTHBOUND.

		Daily.	Daily.
Lv.	Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv.	Jacksonville	9:30 am	9:00 pm
Ar.	Savannah	1:46 pm	1:22 am
Lv.	Charleston	6:12 pm	5:20 am
Lv.	Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar.	Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar.	Wilmington	1:10 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar. 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar. 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

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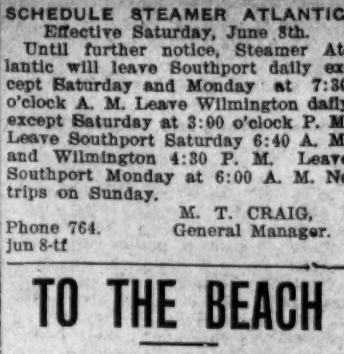

SCHEDULE STEAMER ATLANTIC.

Effective Saturday, June 8th.

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TO THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE.

In Effect June 1st, 1907.

WEEK-DAYS.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	6:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily except Sunday from 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
8:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. 12:00 P .M.	7:45 A. M. 9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

Freight.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, July 2.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 56 3-4.

ROSIN—$4.00 bid.

TAR—Firm, $2.50 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $3.50 per barrel for hard, $4.75 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm 56 1-2c. rosin nothing doing; tar, firm $1.90; crude turpentine, $2.90, $4.50, and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 56
Rosin.. 155
Tar 53
Crude Turpentine 47

Receipts same day last year, 47 casks spirits turpentine; 58 barrels rosin; 15 barrels tar; 178 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-8.

Receipts—0 bales; same day last year 426.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.50; extra prime, $1.55; fancy, $1.60 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, $1.20; fancy, $1.25; Spanish, $1.45@$1.50.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 17c per pound; shoulders, 13@14c; sides, dull, 13@14.

EGGS—Firm, 20@22c.

CHICKENS—Firm at 15@30c for small; growns 40@45c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

HEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 1-2@3 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 7 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York July 2.—The cotton market was sensationally active during today's trading, prices making new high records for the season and for a long time showing a net gain of nearly $3.00 a bale as compared with the close of the previous day and a result of the very bullish government condition figures. The close was steady at a net advance of 43 to 50 points. Sales of the day were estimated at 700,000. The opening was steady at an advance of 6 points to a decline of 2 points near months being higher on better cables than expected and coverin while later positions were easier and the whole list sold off to a net decline of 6 to 7 points shortly after the call under reports of rain or showers in the western belt. At the decline the market was rallied by a renewal of support from leading bulls and gradually worked up to a little over the closing figures of last night toward midday. The government report showing an average condition of 72 per cent against 70.5 per cent last month, 83.3 per cent last year and 75.8 per cent in 1900, the lowest previous report on record, was immediately followed by an advance of about 30 points. Realizing caused some recession from this level but only for a moment after which the market again advanced to a net gain of 57@61 points on a broadening demand through wire and commission houses continued covering by shorts and a renewed suport from bulls who were claiming a practical crop failure and predicting much hi her prices. The close was a little off from the best under realizing.

Receipts at the ports today 2218 bales against 5,967 last week and 8,537 last year. For the week 20,000 bales against 23,532 last week and 28,599 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 495 bales against 1,257 last year and at Houston 608 bales against 878 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady 25 points higher; middling uplands 13.50; middling Gulf, 13.75; sales 800 bales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month	Open	Close.
July..	12.07	12.46
August	11.99	12.40
September	11.65	12.14
October	11.75	12.27
November		12.22
December	11.76	12.27
January	11.87	12.37
February		12.41
March	11.95	12.47

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12 7-8; net receipts, 581.

New Orleans—Firm, 13 1-8; net receipts, 495.

Mobile—Firm, 12 1-2; net receipts, 2.

Savannah—Firm, 12 1-4; net receipts, 503.

Charleston—Nominal.

Wilmington—Nominal.

Norfolk—Steady, 13 1-2; net receipts, 266.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13 1-2; net receipts, 219.

New York—Steady, 13.50; net receipts, 20.

Boston—Steady, 13.50.

Philadelphia—Firm, 13.75; net receipts, 132.

Total today at all ports—Net receipts, 2,218; Great Britain, 717; Continent, 200; stock, 329,731.

Consolidated at all ports—Net receipts, 8,230; Great Britain, 2,021; France, 50; Continent, 4,216;; Japan, 268.

Total since September 1 at all ports—Net receipts, 9,767,327; Great Britain, 3,729,412; France, 890,664; Continent, 3,341,754; Japan, 245,266.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 13 1-8; net receipts, 60.

Augusta—Steady, 13 1-4; net receipts, 90.

Memphis—Steady, 13 3-16; net receipts, 581.

St. Louis—Steady, 12 7-8; net receipts, 209.

Louisville—Firm, 12 7-8.

Total today—Net receipts, 409; gross receipts, 850; shipments, 4,021; sales, 271; stock, 110,925.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Liverpool, July 2.—Closing: Cotton spot dull; prices unchanged; American middling fair 8.26; good middling 7.72; middling 7.72; low middling 6.60; good ordinary 6.12; ordinary 5.52.

The sales of the day were 3,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 2,900 American. Receipts 11,000 bales including 6,600 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet; American middling good July 679 1-2; July-Aug. 677; Aug. Sept. 666; Sept.-Oct. 657; Oct.-Nov. 648; Nov.-Dec. 644; Dec.-Jan. 641 1-2; Jan.-Feb. 640 1-2; Feb.-March 640 1-2; March-April 641 1-2; April-May 642 1-2; May-June 643.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—The dry goods market holds very firm. Cotton yarns are very firm. The export trade is quiet and the figures show a material decrease for the first five months of the year. Dress goods are more active. An advance of 25 cents has been made in some leading lines of domestic goods.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Money on call, strong, 5@10 per cent.; ruling rate, 7 1-2; closing bid, 9 1-2; offered at 10. Time loans, dull and strong; sixty days, 4 1-2@4 3-4 nominal;; ninety days, 4 3-4; six months, 5 3-4. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2@6 per cent.; sterling exchange stronger with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87@4.87.05 for demand at 4.8380@4.8385 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.84 1-2 and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83 1-2@4.83 5-8. Bar silver, 67 3-8. Mexican dollars, 52 1-4. Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds irregular.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg 104 1-2
U. S. Refunded 2s cou 104 1-2
U. S. 2s reg 101 3-4
U. S. 2s cou 102 1-2
U. S. new 4s reg 128 7-8
U. S. new 4s cou 128 7-8
American Tobacco Co. 4s 73
American Tobacco Co. 6s 106 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 4s 95 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s.. .. .. .. 97 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 71
Southern Railway 5s ex in 105
U. S. Steel 2ud pfd 96 5-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper 86 1-8
American Sugar Refining 122 3-8
American Tobacco pfd cert .. 91 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line 98
Baltimore & Ohio 97
Baltimore & Ohio pfd 85
Chesapeake & Ohio 35 1-4
L. & N. 115
New York Central 111 5-8
Norfolk & Western 75 1-4
Norfolk & Western pfd 70
People's Gas 91 1-4
Reading 105 3-4
Reading 1st pfd off'd 80
Reading 2ud pfd 78
Southern Pacific ex div 79
Southern Pacific pfd 110 7-8
Southern Railway 20
Southern Railway pfd .. .. .. 67..
Ten. Coal & Iron 140
U. S. Steel 36 7-8
U. S. Steel pfd 100
Va-Car. Chemical 26
Va-Car Chemical pfd 101
Seaboard Air Line .. .. —
Seaboard Air Line pfd .. .... —
Standard Oil 504
Western Union 79 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—FLOUR—Firm but quiet.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot firm. No. 2 red 101 elevator. Options 5-8 to 1 cent higher. July 103 1-2; Sept. 105 1-2; Dec. 108.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2 63 elevator Options 1-2@7-8 higher. July 62 3-8; Sept. 63 1-4; Dec. 62 3-8; May 62.

LARD—Steady; western prime 8 7-8 @9 1-8.

PORK—Firm; family 18.50 @ 19.00.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw steady; fair refining 333 1-2; centrifugal 383 1-2; molasses sugar 308 1-2.

Refinedsteady.

COFFEE—Spot steady; Rio No. 7, 6 1-8; Santos No. 4, 7 1-4. Mild coffee quiet; Cordova 9@12 1-4. Futures 5 to 15 points higher.

Freights and peanuts quiet and steady; unchanged.

POTATOES—new firm unchanged. Old easy.

CABBAGES—Easy 1@1.75 per crate.

COTTON SEED OIL—Was firm on the bullish government cotton crop report and light offerings. Prime crude fob mills nomal prime summer yellow 58; off summer yellow 54@60 1-2; good off summer yellow 56 1-4@3-4; prime white 63@ 65; prime winte yellow 63@65.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 2.—Higher prices for wheat in the European grain markets again caused an advance on the local exchange, the September delivery closing at a net gain of 1 3-8. Corn and oats were each up 3-8@1-2. Provisions were 2 1-2 lower to 2 1-2 higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—July, 95 1-2; September, 99 3-8@99 1-2; December, 1.02 3-8.

Corn—July, 53 7-8; September, 54 1-2@54 5-8; December, 53 5-8; May, 54 3-4.

Oats—July, 41 1-2; September, 38 1-8@38 1-4; December, 39 3-8; May, 41 5-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—July, 16.27; September, 16.50.

Lard, per 100 pounds—July, 8.90; September, 9.10; October, 9.12 1-2.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—July, 8.62 1-2; September, 8.82 1-2; October, 8.77 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, firm; No. 2 Spring wheat, 1.00@1.03; No. 3, 94@1.01; No. 2 red, 94@95 3-4; No. 2 corn, 54 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 54 1-2; No. 2 oats, 41 1-2; No. 3 white, 42@44; No. 2 rye, 85; short ribs sides (loose), 8.50@8.75; mess pork, per barrel, 16.25@16.37 1-2; lard, per 100 pounds, 8.90; short clear sides (boxed), 8.87 1-2@9.12 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.31.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—Turpentine easy 60 to 60 1-2; rosin steady, strained common to good $4.50 to $4.60.

Savannah, July 2.—Turpentine firm 57 1-4; sales 931; receipts 1,952; shipments 163.

Rosin firm; sales 2,395; receipts 4,670; shipments 1,039; stock 61,948. Abc 385@395; D 420@425; E 455@457 1-2; F 475@487 1-2; G 480@490; H 485@500; I 515; K 525; M 540@550; N 560@575; WG 575@590; WW 595@600.

Charleston, S. C., July 2.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. Lyon,, Williams, Fayetteville, Fred Powell.

CLEARED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Edge, Fayetteville, S. P. McNair.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 2ud.—

C. C. Railroad—3 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine,

W. & W. Railroad—17 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 46 barrels rosin, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—24 casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 3 barrels tar, 28 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—11 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lyon—13 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 47 barrels tar, 22 barrels crude turpentine.

Sch. Leo—14 casks spirits turpentine, 70 barrels rosin.

Totals—56 casks spirits turpentine, 155 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar, 112 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Satilla, 2044 tons, Smith, F. A., Fetter, Jr., A t. Seaboard Air Line.

Schooners.

Stanley H. Minor, 567 tons, Pendleton, C. D. Maffitt.

Bina P. Pendleton, 821 tons, Hutchinson, C. D. Moffit.

A Winchester Triumph.

The great American shooting classic—the biggest trap-shooting event of the year—known as the Grand American Handicap, held at Chicago, June 18-21, resulted in an overwnelming victory for Winchester Shells and Winchester Shotguns. The Professional Championship was won by W. R. Crosby, of O'Fallon, Ill., and the Amateur Championship by Hugh M. Clark, of Urbana, Ill., both shooting Winchester "Leader" Shells. In the Grand American Handicap, W. J. Marriott, of Fort Collins, Col., shooting Winchester shotgun and an Illinois amateur, shooting "Leader" Shells, tied with the other shooter. The Preliminary Handicap was won by Geo. L. Lyon, with a Winchester shotgun. High average for the tournament was won by John R. Taylor, of Newark, Winchester Shotgun. This remarkable list of winnings for Winchester Shells and Guns in an entry of 452 of the very best shots in the country is incontrovertible proof of the high merit of these goods, which are growing more popular every year amongst all classes of shooters. **

Again yesterday the crowds attended the Inventory sale at the "Always Busy Store" and left satisfied. Their hour sales always brings the crowds. Today from 10 to 11 o'clock they will sell 12 1-2, 15 and 25c organdies for 8 cents per yard. This should attract every lady's attention in the city and we predict a crowded store. Thursday, the Fourth of July, the Pelvogt Company will not open their doors. Again Friday from 10 to 11 o'clock they will hold another silk sale. Goods worth 50 to 75 cents will be sold for 35c per yard. Double trading stamps with every cash sale. **

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No 44 at 1:25 A. M. from Charlotte, Rutherfordton, Hamlet and local Stations, connecting at Hamlet with No. 41 from Norfolk and Raleigh.

No. 40 arrives 2:45 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 66 from Jacksonville, No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh and No. 81 from New York and Richmond.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n..	4:00 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb't'n..	6:35 A. M.	6:56 P. M.
Ar Marion ..	7:25 A. M.	7:55 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet ..	8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet ..	8:45 A. M.	9:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe ..	10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte ..	11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.
Lv. Ch'lotte ..	5:00 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Ar. Ruth'f'd'n.	9:00 P. M.	1:42 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north, and No. 38 for Raleigh and Portsmouth-Norfolk. At Monroe with No. 52 for Atlanta, at Charlotte for Western Carolina Points.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 3.

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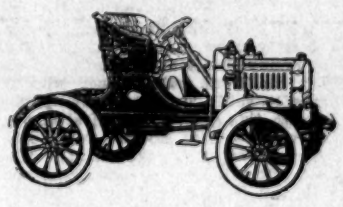

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Watch Has Been Set at Oil Magnate's Magnificent Home in Cleveland. Believed He Has Slipped in Back Way.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 2.—While Marshal Henkel and his deputies are seeking everywhere for John D. Rockefeller today, they are equally zealous in their efforts to serve William Rockefeller, a brother of John D. Rockefeller, with a subpoena requiring his presence before Judge Landis in Chicago, July 6. Marshal Henkel declares that William Rockefeller is as difficult to serve as his brother. A report has it that William Rockefeller is in Rome; another report has him sojourning in the south of France, while another states he is in the Adirondacks.

Marshal Henkel says he is convinced that John D. Rockefeller is not in the jurisdiction of the district, but he is not certain about William Rockefeller. It has been reported that Mr. Rockefeller is at the home of his son-in-law, E. Parmelee Prentice, near Pittsfield, Mass; that he has been staying at his own home in Tarrytown, N. Y., and that he was on his way to his Cleveland home, but neither the marshal nor any of his deputies have been able to determine where Mr. Rockefeller is to be found. Inquiries at Mr. Rockefeller's home at Tarrytown have elecited only the response from his secretary that the whereabouts of Mr. Rockefeller are unknown.

Magnate is Foxy.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 2.—United States Marshal F. M. Chandler, accompanied by Deputy Frank Schwentner, again visited Forest Hill this morning. The officials were admitted to the grounds and at once proceeded to the Rockefeller residence. Chandler after remaining around the house for an hour, started down town, leaving his deputy on guard with a subpoena for Mr. Rockefeller.

"Basing my opinion upon private information and indications at Forest Hill, I would say that Mr. Rockefeller now is at his Cleveland house," Marshal Chandler said, on reaching his office. "Just how or when he arrived I do not know," the marshal continued, "but it looks as though he reached Cleveland yesterday and entered his estate by way of the rear entrance. The only answer I have obtained to any of my questions at his house, was from the front gate keeper who repeatedly said 'he has not passed through this gate.' When I attempted to interview Miss Howard, Mr. Rockefeller's secretary, she said: 'You need not ask me any questions, as I will not answer you.' Deputy Schwentner was stationed upon the front porch of the Rockefeller home with instructions to remain there indefinately and occasionally to walk about the grounds."

May Forfeit Bond.

Findlay, Ohio, July 2.—If John D. Rockefeller is in Cleveland he is within the jurisdiction of Prosecutor Wm. M. David, of Hancock county, and if he is called upon by the Federal authorities at Chicago to assist in his capture he will simply call another case against the Standard Oil Company and see that the personal guarantee of J. C. Donnell, vice president and general manager of the Ohio Oil Company, of this city, and James C. Troup, of Bowling Green, his attorney, is carried out. On January 28, they agreed with Prosecutor David to have Mr. Rockefeller apepar in this city when wanted. As aguarantee of their good faith, as well as Mr. Rockefeller's, they executed a bond which is signed by Rockefeller, Donnell and Troup, that John D. Rockefeller appear from day to day in the court house until discharged.

Got Him Treed.

Chicago, July 2.—Late today the defendant company's lawyers sought an interview with Judge Landis and when told that he was out of the city went to the office of District Attorney Sims, where a long conference was held. The attorneys refused to say anything further than that the conference was for the purpose of discussing procedure for Saturday.

A long telephone conversation was held tonight between District Attornew Sims and Marshal Chandler, of Cleveland. The marshal told Mr. Sims that he was "hot on the oil king's trail," that he had reliable information that Mr. Rockefeller is in Cleveland and he expects to obtain service on him tomorrow.

CONDITION OF COTTON CROP.

General Average Makes Bad Showing from Ten-Year Average.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, July 2.—The crop reporting board of the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture finds from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the Bureau, that the average condition of cotton on June 25 was 72.0, as compared with 70.5 on May 25, 1907, 83.3 on June 25, 1906, 77.0 at the corresponding date on 1905, and a ten-year average of 83.2.

The condition in North Carolina June 25, 1907, was 72, compared to 80 in May, 1907, 80 in June, 1906, and a 10-year average of 85.

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(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., July 2.—A great military spectacle on the Lee Parade grounds at the dedication of the West Virginia coal column, erected in front of the West Virginia State building, showing the various grades of coal as mined in the little mountain State, and formal exercises in the auditorium, were the features of the celebration of West Virginia Day at the Jamestown Exposition today. The weather was clear and hot. The exercises opened at 11 A. M. with a monster military parade, the line including West Virginia, South Carolina, Kentucky and New York state troops, together with the entire Federal forces now in camp at the exposition. This was reviewed by Governor Dawson, of West Virginia, accompanied by a distinguished party of West Virginians, Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou, General Fred D. Grant and others. Brief speeches by Governor Dawson and Secretary Cortelyou, who is chairman of the National Jamestown Commission, occurred at the reviewing stand.

At the dedication of the coal column which followed, ex-Governor McCorkle, of West Virgina, presented the column and the acceptance was by President Harry St. George Tucker of the Exposition Company. Governor Dawson spoke again and the principal address of the day by Secretary Cortelyou concluded this feature.

Secretary Cortelyou spoke as follows:

"You have erected here an unique symbal of the commercial and industrial growth and greatness of your State. I am told that this column is 123 1-2 feet high and that it contains 835,200 pounds of coal and 384,000 feet of lumber. Whoever devised it was happy in his selection of means whereby the visitors to this exposition might be given a vivid impression of one of the elements of West Virginia's commercial supremacy. A stranger passing through these grounds and receiving, in reply to a natural inquiry, the answer: 'That' West Virginia's coal column' will get more condensed information in those six words than he probably would receive for many a day."

The Secretary then reviewed West Virginia's growth and the development of the State's great natural resources, which he declared, are a source not only of immense profit but of honest pride to all her citizens. Back of West Virginia's industrial growth, he said, had been the indomnitable spirit of her liberty loving people. Hardly one of the new States, he said, had begun its career so much crippled financially as was this one, and he then reviewed the great progress of the State in the past quarter of a century, which he indicated was even greater gain than that made by the Nation as a whole.

The official West Virginia Day exercises in the auditorium occurred later in the day. The programme included United States Senator Elkins as presiding officer, with speeches by President Tucker, Governor Dawson, of West Virginia, and Governor Swanson, of Virginia, interpersed with the rendition by a childrens' chorus of 200 voices of the song "My Country 'Tis Of Thee," "Columbia, The Gem Of The Ocean," the "West Virgina Hills" and "Virginia, The Mother Of States."

From 5 to 6 P. M., Governor Dawson held a reception in the West Virginia State Building in honor of Secretary Cortelyou and other distinguished guests.

ROOSEVELT'S WESTERN TRIP.

Will Start Out September 29th and Be Gone Week.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 2.—The details of the itinerary of President Roosevelt's Western trip, which is to begin at the termination of his Summer vacation, were announced today by Secretary Loeb. The Prsident will leave Oyster Bay for Canton, Ohio, September 29, he will make an address at Canton at the dedication of the McKinley National Monument, September 30, and leave immediately for Keokuk, Iowa, where he will arrive October 1. He will make an address at Keokuk and two hours after his arrival there will embark on the steamship Mississippi. From 10 until 3 o'clock the next day he will spend in St. Louis. He will then continue his sail down the Mississippi, the next stop being at Cairo, Ills., where he will spend the two hours and make an address on October 3. He will also speak at Memphis, Tenn., on October 4, leaving Memphis for Washington the same day.

In New York yesterday A. Russel Peabody and Daniel O'Reilly, attorneys for Harry K. Thaw, served on Acting District Attorney Symth notice of withdrawal of the motion recently made in the Supreme Court for an order directing District Attorney Jerome to show cause why he should not set Thaw's second trial for the October term of court. Thaw has decided that the District Attorney intends to act fairly by him in the matter of bringing him to trial as soon as possible and therefore directed his lawyers to withdraw the motion which was set for argument tomorrow.

WARSHIP STORY IS FALSE ALARM

No Battleship Squadron to Be Sent to Pacific to Menace Japan.

MR. ROOSEVELT DENIES IT

Japanese Ambassador Declares That If it Were True, Japan Would Not Regard It As Menace At All. New Battleship.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, July 2.—"No, Japan would not regard it as an unfriendly act if the American government saw fit to increase her naval representation in her territorial waters on the Pacific coast, or even if she sent additional men-of-war to the Asiatic station. She would not look upon it as a menace or regard it with regret."

These were the words of Viscount Oaki, the Japanese Ambassador to the United States, when his attention was called today to published reports that the general of the navy had recommendation to the President that the battleships of the American fleet be sent around to the Pacific coast. At the same time the Ambassador expressed a great deal of interest in the stories printed and asked if they were true. He disliked, he said, to appear in the public prints when there was no occasion, but he felt at perfect liberty to say what he did on this subject.

The Ambassador recalled that it is the custom and practice of nations to send vessels to their fleets in the waters of other nations and instanced the fact that very recently several Japanese warships had visited American waters at the Jamestown Exposition.

For the moment the Embassy officials are not contemplating any action in the matter of the denial of intelligence office privileges to the Japanese at San Francisco. Mr. Aoki reiterated today that that question can be taken up in the courts by the person affected by the police board's decision and if the decision of the judges is such as to leave room to believe that the treaty rights of the Japanese have been denied then the Embassy will take the matter up with the State Department. The question for the time being is one for the courts, he added. Mr. Aoki said that the Nichi Nichi, the Japanese newspaper which has been making some adverse comment on the intelligence office cases, does not represent the government's attitude on the question and that some of its observations were not just.

The Navy Department is informed that the new battleship Nebraska was placed in commission today, at the Bremerton naval station on Puget Sound, making the only American battleship in active service in Pacific waters. Lieutenant Coonz is acting as commander of the ship temporarily and has with him only a skeleton crew. The Nebraska must remain at the Bremerton yard for some time yet, completing her equipment and in the meantime Captain Reginald Nicholson, who is to permanently command the ship, will gather up a crew for her in the East.

Story is Hoax.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 2.—Published reports that sixteen battleships of the Atlantic fleet of the United States Navy are to be transferred to the Pacific coast because of anti-American feeling in Japan were denied today by William Loeb, President Roosevelt's secretary. Mr. Loeb said that the report is without foundation in fact; that such a movement has never been considered by the President and that its consideration is not contemplated.

BASEBALL.

American League.

Boston, 2; Washington, 6.
New York, 8; Philadelphia, 7.
Detroit, 8; St. Louis, 5.
Cleveland, 4; Chicago, 0.

National League.

Brooklyn, 8; New York, 2.
Philadelphia, 1; Boston, 2.
Pittsburg, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 3.

Southern League.

Nashville, 6; Atlanta, 8.
Second game: Nashville, 2; Atlanta, 0.
Macon, 0; Columbia, 11.
Memphis, 9; New Orleans, 0 (forfeited).
Shreveport, 0; Little Rock, 5.
Montgomery, 10; Birmingham, .

South Atlantic League.

Augusta, 2; Jacksonville, 0.
Savannah, 0; Charleston, 3.

Virginia League.

Portsmouth, 1; Roanoke, 3.
Second game: Portsmouth, 1; Roanoke 1 (game called account darkness).
Lynchburg, 5; Richmond, 6.
Danville, 3; Norfolk, 4 (11 innings).
Second game: Danville, 11; Norfolk, 1.

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One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is the one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers that cure headache and billiousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's Drug Store.

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Don't forget the Penny Surprise Sale at Rehder's from 10 to 10:30 today. Mill-End Sale. ••

Go to the concert and tableaux tonight at Seashore Hotel at 9 o'clock. Given by Ministering Circle of King's Daughters for charitable purposes. Admission 50 cents.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

SEALED BIDS for erecting the Burgaw Graded School building will be received up to July 15th, 1907. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of McMillen & Cooper, Wilmington, N. C., or at office of C. E. McCullen, Burgaw. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. jul 3-4t

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Emergent Communication this, Wednesday, morning at 9:30 o'clock sharp to attend jointly with Wilmington Lodge No. 319 and Orient Lodge No. 395 the funeral of Bro. James Daniels, of Edgefield, S. C. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

By order of the W. M.
A. S. HOLDEN,
Secretary.
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